



AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Attorney Docket No.: 003744-02

1775
JFW/AF

Serial No.: 10/045,054	Filing Date: January 15, 2002	Examiner: Michael E. LaVilla
Group Art Unit: 1775	Invention: PARTICULATE METAL ALLOY COATING FOR PROVIDING CORROSION PROTECTION	

To the Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fees have been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims remaining after amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	No. of Extra Claims Present	Rate	Additional Rate
Total Claims	9	Minus	71	0	X	\$
Indep. Claims	6	Minus	10	0	X 86	\$ 0.00

No additional claim fees are required.

Attached is a check in the amount of \$ 0.00.

Please charge Deposit Account No 06-0308 in the amount of \$ _____.

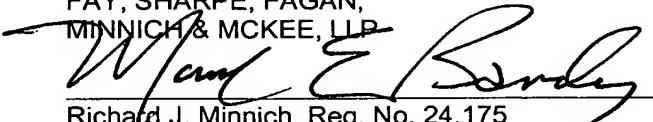
Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and request a _____ extension of time up to and including at least _____ to respond to the outstanding Office Action. Fees in the amount of \$ _____ are included in our attached check.

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and request any additional extensions of time that may be necessary and authorize the extension of time fees to be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

Respectfully submitted,

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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Maze
For : Particulate Metal Alloy Coating for
Providing Corrosion Protection
Serial No. : 10/045,054
Filed : January 15, 2002
Art Unit No. : 1775
Examiner : Michael E. LaVilla
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Cleveland, Ohio 44114-2579
October 8, 2004

Response

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed July 12, 2004.

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